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RE: U. S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/010,317 "FIBRONECTIN BINDING PROTEIN COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS OF USE" - Magnus Höök et al. Client Ref. (TAMUS: 983)

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and references B13, B14, C42 and C43.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Arnold, White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/TAMK:189/HIB.

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Encl. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure

Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be

construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to

patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

In accordance with 37 C.F.R § 1.97(e)(1), Applicants hereby certify that each item of

information contained in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a

communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than

three months prior to the filing of the present statement, as evidenced by the date of the enclosed

search report. Furthermore, the present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being

filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and

hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R § 1.97(b). No fees are believed

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present

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